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BULLETIN OF THE MONTH

"If You're Thinking of a Little Place in the Country"

Agricultural Information Series 14

Many veterans and others are wondering about the possibility of working at jobs in town but living out in the country, within driving distance, where they can have a little land, a few chickens, and a garden. They want to know what the prospects are for such part-time farming after the war. Instances related in this pamphlet will give a little glimpse at how some such ventures in part-time farming have worked out.

AGRICULTURAL INFORMATION SERIES

Don't kill the forest goose. Forest service. [12] p., illus. (AIS–13.)

American forests are in a bad way. Here's the story on our forests—where we are—how we got this way—and what we can do about it.

If you're thinking of a little place in the country. A. B. Genung, Bureau of Agricultural Economics. 12 p., illus. (AIS–14.) *See* above.

How much fertilizer shall I use? Charles E. Kellogg, Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 6 p. (AIS–18.)

A gardener's guide for converting tons or pounds per acre into pints, cups, tablespoons, or teaspoons per row or plant.

AGRICULTURAL WAR INFORMATION SERIES

The Women's Land Army works for victory. Extension Service. 8 p., illus. (AWI–113.)

The record of the WLA for 1944 and its needs for 1945 are outlined.

CIRCULARS

Little leaf disease of pine. George H. Hepting, Thomas S. Buchanan, and L. W. R. Jackson, Bureau of Plant, Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 15 p., illus. (Circular 716C.) Price 5¢.

The relation of little leaf disease to soil and site factors and the role of the disease as it affects timberland management are emphasized.

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Results of tests of commercial legume inoculants in 1944. Lewis T. Leonard, Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 6 p., illus. (Circular 724C.) Price 5¢.

The title is self-explanatory.

FARMERS' BULLETINS

Pattern alteration. Margaret Smith, Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics. 40 p., illus. (Farmers' Bulletin 1968F.) Price 10¢.

This bulletin deals with the problems of altering a pattern—how to measure the figure and take corresponding pattern measurements, and how to alter the pattern pieces to correspond to your measurements.

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

Workers in subjects pertaining to agriculture in land-grant colleges and experiment stations, 1944–45. Betty T. Richardson, Office of Experiment Stations. 164 p. (Miscellaneous Publication 556M.) Price 25¢. Free distribution is restricted.

The title is self-explanatory.

What farm families spend for medical care. Jean L. Pennock and Grace M. Angle, Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics. 18 p., illus. (Miscellaneous Publication 561M.) Price 10¢.

This publication is written to assist in the discussion of postwar problems. Its purpose is to contribute to the information needed for a successful solution to the problem of making available to every family the full benefit of the knowledge and resources of the medical profession.

SERVICE AND REGULATORY MATERIAL

Regulations under the packers and stockyards act as amended. Office of Marketing Services. Reprinted with amendments, February 1945. 29 p. (S. R. A.–O. M. S. 164.) [1]

Service and regulatory announcements, March 1945. Bureau of Animal Industry. Pp. 13–20. (S. R. A.–B. A. I. 455.) Price 5¢ a copy, 25¢ a year, domestic; 60¢ a year, foreign.[2]

TECHNICAL BULLETINS

Investigations in erosion control and reclamation of eroded Shelby and related soils at the Conservation Experiment Station, Bethany, Mo., 1930–42. D. D. Smith, D. M. Whitt, Austin W. Zingg, A. G. McCall, and F. G. Bell, Soil Conservation Service in cooperation with the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station. 175 p., illus. (Technical Bulletin 883T.) Price 30¢.

This is a report of technical advances in conservation farming for the agricultural region served by the Conservation Experiment Station at Bethany, Mo. It is concisely presented and authenticated by figures, plates, tables, and other data. In effect, it is a manual or handbook for technicians only.

Seasonal changes in Florida grapefruit. Paul L. Harding and D. F. Fisher, Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 100 p., illus. (Technical Bulletin 886T.) Price 25¢. Free distribution is restricted.

The information presented in this bulletin on the physical characters and the chemical constituents of sprayed and unsprayed Florida grapefruit should serve as a basis for improving maturity standards and for establishing legal picking dates for both seedy and seedless varieties.

Measuring productive capacity of pastures through maintenance studies with mature steers. A. O. Rhoad and R. B. Carr, Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 20 p., illus. (Technical Bulletin 890T.) Price 10¢.

The techniques used in pasture investigations in this country have been the subject of considerable study in recent years. The main object of the present study was to eliminate some of the experimental error inherent in the animal-requirement method of measuring productive capacity of pastures.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Eat a lunch that packs a punch! War Food Administration. Folder. Illus. (NFC–8.)

This revised folder serves as a nutrition guide to balanced meals.

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First aid for flooded homes and farms. Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture. 19 p.

This revised publication has been prepared in the hope that it may assist those who are returning to homes and farms that have been flooded.

Industrial feeding management. Prepared by the Committee on the Nutrition of Industrial Workers of the National Research Council in collaboration with the War Food Administration. Supersedes Manual of Industrial Nutrition (NFC–1). 46 p., illus. (NFC–14.) Price 10¢.

In-plant feeding at its best emphasizes the service of meals of high nutritive quality in a form and at price attractive to the majority of workers. The purpose of this publication is to assist industry and food-service managers in achieving this objective.

Let's talk about world peace organization and what it means to farm people. Bureau of Agricultural Economics in cooperation with the Extension Service. 8 p., illus. (D. S. 28.)

For your help, this discussion guide has tried to sum up the proposals of world peace organization and bring to the top the main questions and important facts involved.

Popular publications for the farmer and homemaker. Eleanor W. Clay, Office of Information. 42 p. (List No. 5, rev.)

Only free publications that are of general interest to farmers and homemakers are listed in this revised compilation.

Report of the Combined Food Board. War Food Administration. 10 p. Price 5¢.

On June 9, 1942, the Combined Food Board was established. This bulletin is a report of the progress of the work from then until December 31, 1944.

PERIODICALS

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The agricultural situation. Vol. 29, No. 5, May 1945. Price 5¢ a copy, 50¢ a year, domestic; 70¢ a year, foreign.[2]

Agriculture decisions. Vol. 4, No. 2, February 1945; Vol. 4, No. 3, March 1945. Prices of single copies vary depending on size. $2.00 a year.[2]

Agriculture in the Americas. Vol. V, No. 5, May 1945. Price 10¢ a copy, 75¢ a year, domestic; $1.20 a year, foreign.[2]

Bibliography of agriculture. Vol. 6, No. 5, May 1945. Price 40¢ a copy, $4.50 a year, domestic; 45¢ a copy, $4.75 a year, foreign.[2]

Consumers' guide. Vol. XI, No. 5, May 1945. Price 5¢ a copy, 50¢ a year, domestic; 70¢ a year, foreign.[2]

Crops and markets. Vol. 22, No. 2, April 1945. Quarterly. Price 10¢ a copy, 30¢ a year, domestic; 10¢ a copy, 45¢ a year, foreign.[2]

Experiment station record. Vol. 92, No. 6, June 1945. Subscription per volume (2 volumes a year), consisting of 6 monthly numbers and index, $1.25. Foreign subscription per volume, $2.00. Single numbers 20¢ a copy.[2]

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Extension service review. Vol. 16, No. 5, May 1945. Price 10¢ a copy, 75¢ a year, domestic; $1.15 a year, foreign.[2]

Foreign agriculture. Vol. 9, No. 5, May 1945. Price 10¢ a copy, $1.00 a year, domestic; $1.60 a year, foreign.[2]

Journal of agricultural research. Price $2.25 a year, domestic; $3.75 a year, foreign. Each issue, 10¢, domestic; 20¢, foreign. Separates, 5¢, domestic; 8¢, foreign.[2] Not distributed free to individuals.

Of primary interest to agricultural scientists and advanced students only. Issued in 2 volumes a year of 12 numbers each. Free distribution is limited to certain libraries and to institutions or departments doing research work.

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——— Vol. 70, No. 9. May 1, 1945. Illus. Contents:

A method for determining the relative cold hardiness of dormant peach fruit buds (Key No. N. J.–34). E. M. Meader, O. W. Davidson, and M. A. Blake.
Physiologic specialization in the the tomato wilt fungus *fusarium oxysporum f. lycopersici* (Key No. Ohio–31). L. J. Alexander and C. M. Tucker.

——— Vol. 70, No. 10. May 15, 1945. Illus. Contents:

Tip blight of species of *Abies* caused by a new species of *Rehmiellopsis* (Key No. G-1329). Alma M. Waterman.
Effect of different soil colloids on the toxicity of boric acid to foxtail millet and wheat (Key No. G–1327). P. L. Gile.

News for farmer cooperatives. Vol. 12, No. 2, May 1945. Price 10¢ a copy, $1.00 a year.[2]

Rural electrification news. Vol. 10, No. 9, May 1945. Price 10¢ a copy, 75¢ a year, domestic; $1.15 a year, foreign.[2]

Soil conservation. Vol. X, No. 11. May 1945. Price 10¢ a copy, $1.00 a year, domestic; $1.50 a year, foreign.[2]

Soil Conservation—Index to Volume IX, July 1943 to June 1944. 10 p.

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